

## Wanted

100 Men and Women to sell goods at any price.

## BANKRUPT SALE!

## Free Trip

to Richmond. Purchasers of \$20 worth will be given rail-road fare.

The Entire Stock of "THE CRENSHAW DRY GOODS CO." of West Main Street, has fallen into the hands of

**E. T. FAULKNER CO., Cor. First and Broad Streets.**

WILL AVERAGE 63 CENTS ON THE DOLLAR.

**WEDNESDAY, March 29th, 9 o'Clock Sharp, THE DAY**

<b>Calicoes</b> Crenshaw Dry Goods Company sold for 6c.; 2 1-2 cases to sell; E. T. Faulkner's price <b>37/8c</b>	<b>Embroideries</b> Crenshaw Dry Goods Company sold for 10c.; not over 8,000 yards to sell; E. T. Faulkner's price <b>53/4c</b>	<b>Corsets</b> 500 pairs to sell; Crenshaw Dry Goods Co. sold for 50c.; to dispose quickly, E. T. Faulkner's price <b>29c</b>	<b>Men's Shirts</b> 40 dozen, all colors, soft bosom; Crenshaw Dry Goods Company sold for 39c.; E. T. Faulkner's price <b>25c</b>	<b>Wash Silk</b> for Waists, Shepherd Plaids; Crenshaw Dry Goods Company sold for 65c. yard; E. T. Faulkner's price <b>25c</b>	<b>Dress Skirts</b> tailor made, wool, \$2.25 value; Crenshaw Dry Goods Company; about 425 to sell; E. T. Faulkner's price <b>\$1.50</b>
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## Seasonable Dry Goods, Notions, Silks, Wraps, Skirts, Tailor-Made Suits and Underwear.

<b>Apron Gingham</b> 7,000 yards; Crenshaw Dry Goods Company sold for 6c.; E. T. Faulkner's price <b>37/8c</b>	<b>Table Damask</b> Crenshaw Dry Goods Co.'s price 40c. 64 bolts to sell; E. T. Faulkner's price <b>18 1/2c</b>	<b>Towels</b> 150 dozen to sell; Crenshaw Dry Goods Company's price 15c.; size 18x41; E. T. Faulkner's price <b>9 1/2c</b>	<b>Children's Socks</b> Just 30 dozen to sell; Crenshaw Dry Goods Company's price 8c.; not over 4 pair to a buyer; E. T. Faulkner's price <b>3 1/2c</b>	<b>Repellent Cloth</b> 56 inches wide; Crenshaw Dry Goods Company's price \$1 value; to sell quick in order to disburse all; E. T. Faulkner's price <b>4 1/2c</b>	<b>Ladies' Hose</b> 39 dozen to close; Crenshaw Dry Goods Company's price was 15c.; E. T. Faulkner's price, <b>8c</b>
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**\$127,000 Deal** direct to Richmond's economical buyers who appreciate the highest grades of merchandise. Twenty-seven complete specialty stores join hands in a powerful endeavor to smash all heretofore records of phenomenal selling. The established position of **E. T. Faulkner Company's Cash Store** as the foremost dry goods organization in Richmond is to-day unquestionable. Not a day goes by but that E. T. Faulkner Company's methods are copied, and all other dealers have been benefited by following our lead. Wednesday of this week we will again prove to you prices overwhelmingly the lowest ever named for merchandise of standard character and aggressive and far-reaching movements, temptingly presenting a multitude of unsurpassed opportunities.

<b>Ready-Made Sheets</b> about 600 to sell; Crenshaw Dry Goods Company's price was 59c.; no time to lose; double size; E. T. Faulkner's price <b>39c</b>	<b>Summer Waists</b> all colors and pleated; 140 dozen to sell; Crenshaw Dry Goods Company's price 50c.; E. T. Faulkner's price <b>29c</b>	<b>Flake Voile</b> Dress Goods, 70 whole pieces to sell; Crenshaw Dry Goods Company's price 12 1-2c; E. T. Faulkner's price <b>6 3/4c</b>	<b>Balbriggan Shirts</b> and Drawers; 25c. price by Crenshaw Dry Goods Company; 78 dozen to sell; E. T. Faulkner's price <b>19c</b>	<b>200 Dozen Men's Hose</b> solid black; Crenshaw Dry Goods Co.'s price 10c. for every pair; E. T. Faulkner's price <b>6c</b>	<b>Underwear</b> Over 170 dozen to be sacrificed; Crenshaw Dry Goods Company's 30c. value; we have no use for same; E. T. Faulkner's price <b>19c</b>
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The big purchase for spot cash. Our strong "hand" positively sold without restriction or reservation. The many elements this sale represents will give it "a go," and every arrangement for the comfort and convenience under such strained circumstances for the safety of thousands of lives that will rush for their share Wednesday has been looked after by the firm.

## WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29th, THE DAY.

Look For Big Blue Banner.

Look For Large Blue Sign.

## E. T. FAULKNER CO., Daylight Cash Store,

Corner First and Broad Streets.

## We Cannot

guarantee every item to last all day, therefore mail orders cannot be filled.

## All Cars Transfer

direct to the Bankrupt Sale. Look for the Banner.

## CASE OF 'FRISCO SLIM NOT HEARD

He and His Confederates Will be Put on Trial First in Alexandria.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NORFOLK, Va., March 28.—H. R. Brothers, of Portsmouth, filed a petition in bankruptcy to-day, showing assets of \$3,642.50 and debts for \$2,622.32.

Mrs. Joyce Hurst has been absent from Norfolk for thirty years. She has not been heard from in that time, and it is not known where she is or whether she is alive or not. A decree was entered in the Court of Law and Chancery to-day approving of the sale of her property for \$240 in the suit of J. O. Lumsden. The decree requires Lumsden to pay the balance, about \$100, in addition to his claim to the absent defendant or her heirs, should it be demanded.

**POSTOFFICE ROBBER CASES.** The cases of John Smith, alias "Frisco Slim," and John Adams, alias D. O. Jack, the alleged postoffice robbers, in jail here charged with the robbery of the post-offices of Alexandria, Manassas and Williamsburg, were not called in the Federal Court here to-day, because Judge Waddell was not here. They will be tried first at Alexandria, but the Williamsburg case

is the one they dread, as they are charged with robbing the Peninsula Bank of government funds. They were brought here from Baltimore.

Ferdinand Haenselman, civil engineer, has received notice that a fortune is awaiting him in Russia, and he is preparing to sail to claim a large legacy. He is a native of Russia, but he has lived here a number of years. He is not only an expert engineer, but a linguist as well.

## INVESTIGATION ENDED.

Inspector Commers has finished the investigation of the charges against Captain Halstead, of the life-saving station near Virginia Beach. He has not announced the findings here, but has forwarded the report to Washington.

Ada, alias Lillian, Smith, colored, was discharged in the Police Court here this morning because the officer from Richmond failed to identify her as the woman wanted in Richmond as accessory in a robbery.

**JOHNSON CASE CONTINUED.** The case of H. S. Johnson, the school teacher from Boston, held here on the charge of running away from a board bill at the Lexington Hotel, in Richmond, was continued at his request to-day in the Police Court. He said he had not heard from telegraphic messages he had sent to friends for assistance, and he wished time to write. There is a similar charge against him here. The case was continued to April 1st. He is in jail.

**BUILDING ROOM.** Building Inspector Holland says Norfolk has a building boom. The value of the buildings in progress is \$1,500,000, and includes a banking house, board of trade, hotel and seventy dwellings.

John Henderson, colored, died at St. Vincent's Hospital this afternoon. He was a freeman of the Southern Railway.

and was run over last night at Pinner's Point by a switch engine.

Charles W. Smith, of Warrenton, Va., has been appointed to manage the Horse Show and Fair Association here, and will begin May 1st.

Special Agent Cullom, of the Treasury Department of Washington, did not recommend a reduction of clerks in the custom house here, but recommended a decrease of two at Newport News.

## BUYS OYSTER GROUND.

Mr. E. S. Jordan Knew a Good Thing When He Saw It.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) DANVILLE, Va., March 28.—Captain William H. Lane, of Accomac Court-house, has sold to Mr. E. S. Jordan, late member of the Virginia House of Delegates, from Frederick county, his interests in the valuable tract of oyster ground known as Black Rock, comprising about 300 acres, and situated near Oyster Point, the ocean side of Northampton county, for \$15,000. The price, about \$50 per acre, is the highest ever paid in that section. The ground is nicely situated and under state of cultivation, many thousands of bushels of shells having been planted in recent years. The planting of oysters on the ocean side of the Virginia Peninsula was an unbroken industry for many years ago. Now the industry has developed to a great extent. Many creeks and inlets making in from the Atlantic, are peculiarly suited to planting oysters. There are a number of shucking houses on the sea side and they give employment to several thousand men. Orders for the shucked oysters are received from as far west as Omaha, Kansas City, Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sioux City.

Mr. Jordan was a member of the committee appointed by the Legislature to investigate the propriety of leasing all the depleted oyster lands in Virginia and had a fine opportunity to examine those lands on a tour made by the committee on a State Police steamer. Mr. Jordan quickly saw the great future of the industry and has now leased the largest tract in the history of oyster lands on the shore.

## ALL ATE OPIUM.

Gave Their Little Girl an Overdose and She Died.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) CHARLOTTE, N. C., March 28.—Emile Saker, forty-one years old, a member of the Presbyterian Hospital this evening, as the result of an overdose of opium administered by the girl's mother. An investigation reveals the fact that the members of the family, all employed in the Highland Park Hotel, had been taking the drug this morning unknown to the mother and the woman later complied with the child's request for more.

## FIREMAN SHOT.

Handling a Pistol on a Running Train—Dangerous Drunken Man.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) TAZEWELL, Va., March 28.—Engineer Roderick shot Fireman Roberts while moving with a revolver on a westbound freight three miles west of here at 5 o'clock this afternoon. His wound may prove serious.

A man named Gates arrived here to-day drunk and tried to kill W. L. Britts, of this place. He was arrested and placed in jail to await trial.

Wake Forest, 3; Oak Ridge, 2.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WAKE FOREST, N. C., March 28.—Wake Forest beat Oak Ridge in a snappy and hotly contested game by score of three to two.

That Beautiful Glass

comes from the Varnish in Devco's Varnish Floor Paint, costs 5 cents more a quart, though. Sold by Harris Hardware Company.

## BLIND TIGERS IN TOILS OF THE LAW

Secret Detectives Find the Wary Beast Where Others Said He Was Not.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) DANVILLE, Va., March 28.—It is learned from unofficial sources that nineteen warrants will be issued probably to-morrow for operators of alleged blind tigers and other violators of the local option laws. The cases are the outgrowth of the work in the city of two detectives, who are said to have been for some days here. These detectives were brought here almost upon the heels of two detectives who were in the employ of the City Council, and who reported the situation in the city as good, stating that the reports of blind tigers and the sale of whiskey had been grossly exaggerated.

It is also stated that Mr. James L. Graveley, editor of the No-License Advocate, procured the services of the two detectives, who are here now on his own behalf. Their work being satisfactory, however, it is probable that Mr. Graveley will ask the individual members of the Anti-Saloon League to assist in paying the expenses of their maintenance. It is believed by many that the secret service men are in the employ of the Anti-Saloon League.

Benjamin Haley and Noah F. Lumpkins, who were remanded to jail without bail here last night on complaint of C. V. Clark, J. J. Thompson and H. C. Lewis, cadets at the Danville Military Institute, who were held in custody by the men from Friday until Monday and forced to pay over to them the sum of \$80, the men representing themselves to be officers and arresting the cadets for the larceny of a horse, using a shotgun in making the arrest, will to-morrow be taken to Halifax Courthouse for trial, the detention of the cadets having occurred in that county.

The cadets obtained the money which they paid to their captors from Mr. H. O. Keane, of Suffolk. The young men had arranged for a camping expedition over Sunday. They obtained a boat from a colored man, but in taking possession, got the wrong boat, unintentionally, with the result that they were followed by Haley and Lumpkins, who claim to have been the owners of the boat taken.

Neither of the men make any denial of their guilt.

## KILLED BY TRAIN.

Farmers' Institute at Culpeper, Stable Burned.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) CULPEPER, Va., March 28.—The mother of Mr. Will Edwards received a telegram stating that he was instantly killed to-day at Beenton by a fast passenger train on the Southern Road. Mr. Edwards was, up to a short time ago, a resident of Culpeper.

The large, fine stable of Mrs. H. K. Crigler, was burned at 12:30 o'clock to-day, with all of its contents of hay, grain and a valuable horse property of Mr. Hugh Crigler, which had a short

time before the fire began been put in the stable.

A farmers' institute was held here to-day with a goodly number of people from the country present. Mr. A. M. Soule spoke upon the general care of live stock, R. J. Davidson upon the chemistry of certain fertilizers, and J. Y. Ferneyhough upon veterinary subjects.

## BIG FIGHT EXPECTED.

Sheriff Surrounds Deperadoes and Sends for Reinforcements.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) BLUEFIELD, W. Va., March 28.—Reinforcements have been sent the sheriff from the county seat at Princeton, who has the house of John Harris, between Glatto and Godfrey, surrounded, where Jim Taylor, with twelve of his friends is barricaded, and refuses to surrender. Taylor killed a man at Lambert and is under sentence of life imprisonment. He was awaiting transportation to the penitentiary when he, with several others, broke jail. The sheriff and party surrounded the house this afternoon, and tonight sent for reinforcements of fifty men at Princeton and Goodville. A terrible fight is liable to take place before morning.

## Engagement Announced.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) LYNCHBURG, Va., March 28.—Mr. and Mrs. George P. Watkins, of this city,

have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Lella, to Mr. Frank E. Stacy, formerly of Richmond, but now of Newport News. The wedding is to take place on April 28th at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in this city. Miss Watkins is a strikingly handsome blonde and one of the most popular of the young society folk of the city.

Mr. Stacy is the claim agent of the Chesapeake and Ohio in Newport News and he is very popular there as well as in his native city.

## PEANUTS BURN.

Largest and Newest Factory at Portsmouth Destroyed.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NORFOLK, Va., March 28.—The "Merchants" and "Peanuts" Factory, near Portsmouth, was destroyed by fire to-night. The five-story brick building was finished last year at a cost of \$100,000 and is supposed to be a total loss. If there was a large stock of peanuts in the warehouse, the largest factory here and was owned chiefly by Dennis Etheridge, the president of the company.

## A CENTENARIAN.

Grandpa Permenton Rounds Out a Hundred Years To-day.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) CHARLOTTE, N. C., March 28.—The oldest citizen of Charlotte, and perhaps of North Carolina, rounds a full century of life to-day. Grandpa Permenton, a native of Maryland, was born on the morning of six o'clock, will celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of his birth. Grandpa Permenton is a well-known figure in the city, and he lives in the Highland Park Mill settlement, in a house owned by him by the corporation free of rent.

## Lanier—Gregory.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) OXFORD, N. C., March 28.—A beautiful marriage took place at the home of Colonel and Mrs. R. O. Gregory to-night when their oldest daughter, Mary Bell, was united to Mr. J. H. Lanier, a prominent young lawyer of Oxford, Rev. Mr. Tulson, of the Episcopal Church, of Oxford officiating. The bride's sisters, Misses Frances, Bennett and Janet, attended her. The groomsmen were Messrs. P. H. Gregory, Oxford, and C. H. Gregory, of Boston, Va.; Alexander Lanier, of Richmond, Va.

After the ceremony refreshments were served by the bride's relatives. The out-of-town guests were Mrs. B. Perry, Misses Leuk and Isabel Perry, of Henderson, N. C.; William Taylor, of Raleigh, N. C.; Mr. William Taylor, of Mrs. A. C. Zollcoffer, Henderson; Mr. C. A. Gregory, South Boston; S. T. Peace, of Boston, Va.

The bride and groom will make Oxford their home.

## TRIAL OF NAN PATTERSON BEGINS EARLY IN APRIL

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, March 28.—The trial of Nan Patterson, for the murder of Caesar Young, will begin before Recorder Gott in the Court of General Sessions on April 1st. At the request of District Attorney Jerome, Justice Fitzgerald removed the case from the Supreme Court, where it was to be tried, to the Court of General Sessions. The reason alleged that there probably would not be a Supreme Court Justice at liberty to try the case at that time and the trial must be held then unless the prisoner were to be discharged.

## Where the Public Gets In.

One of the leading commercial magazines, New York and the other day, "Every month there is poured into Wall Street brokers' offices \$500,000 by the people throughout the country who are anxious to pick up a little something for nothing on a quick gamble. Of this vast sum more than a per cent. clings to the brokers' fingers, and the rest only to be sent to the Street again with dribbles back to the investing suckers, an additional supply. The public not only is always in, but possibly not always up to their necks."

## DROVE INTO WATER TWENTY FEET DEEP

Passengers Safe, But Horse and Buggy Were Lost.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) SMITH'S CROSS ROAD, S. Va., March 28.—Two traveling salesmen, wishing to drive from Boynton to Palmer's Springs, Va., secured a horse and buggy from Mr. C. Haskens yesterday evening at Boynton and drove to Alexander's Ferry to cross the river at that point. On reaching the ferry they found another party waiting to cross, and were assured by the ferryman that all parties could cross at one trip, but on attempting to drive in, the boat pushed down in its effort, the buggy and horse down in 15 or 20 feet of water. The men reached the bank in safety, but the horse and buggy were swept down the stream, and nothing further has been heard from them. One of the men were known, this being Mr. Henry Gayle, who travels for E. A. Saunders and Sons, wholesale grocers, of Richmond, Va. Saint Davis is the ferryman.

## Two Years for Murder.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) OSBOIN'S GAP, Va., March 28.—Patton Willis, of Hayti, was tried at this time of Judge S. C. Conley's court, charged with killing William Breedslove, and given two years in the penitentiary. The killing was the result of a drunken quarrel, but the Commonwealth disproved this plea, and the prisoner was adjudged guilty.

## A GOOD DEAL OF NONSENSE.

About "Blood Purifiers" and "Tonics." Every drop of blood, every bone, nerve and tissue in the body can be renewed in one way, and that is from wholesome food properly digested. There is no other way, and the idea that a medicine in itself can purify the blood or supply new tissues and strong nerves is ridiculous and on a par with the fable of the dyspepsia or indigestion is a germ disease or that either failure, the weak stomach, which refuses to digest food can be made to do so by irritating and inflaming the bowels by pills and cathartics. Sturt's Dyspepsia Tablets cure indigestion, sour stomach, gas and bloating after meals, because they furnish the positive principles which weak stomachs lack, and unless the deficiency of pepsin and diastase is supplied, it is useless to attempt to cure stomach trouble by the use of tonics, "pills" and "cathartics," which have absolutely no digestive or purifying effect, and which only give a temporary stimulation.

One grain of the active principle in Sturt's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest 3,000 grains of meat, eggs and similar foods, and experiments have shown that they will do this in a glass bottle at proper temperature, but, of course, are much more effective in the stomach. There is probably no remedy so universally used as Sturt's Tablets, because it is not only the sick and ailing, but well people who take them at every meal to insure perfect digestion and assimilation of food. People who enjoy fair health take Sturt's Tablets as regularly as they take their meals, because they want to keep well; prevention is better than cure. Sturt's Dyspepsia Tablets do both; they prevent indigestion and they remove it where it exists. The regular use of one or two of them after meals will demonstrate their merit and efficiency better than any other argument.

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Before buying elsewhere it will pay you to inspect our complete line of vehicles. Everything new and stylish in medium and high grade vehicles.

## HARNESS

We are showing complete line of harness, selected for its style and wearing qualities. Everything, from the smart runabout harness to a double harness for Victoria or Brougham.

## Our Specialty:

Smart, Fashionable, Up-To-Date Vehicles,

at prices as low as consistent with good quality.